

The Post Office will be open at 7 a. m. and close at 9:15 p. m. All letters put in the outside box up to 9:30 o'clock will be mailed for next morning's mail.

## Singing.

There will be a meeting Friday evening at the M. E. meeting house, in Holmesville, for the purpose of organizing a class in vocal music. A. Johnson, conductor, Paint Valley.

## Returned.

W. Jacobs has returned to Millersburg and will open out again in his old stand in a few days.

## A Good Offer.

Jefferson J. Goff offers a good lot near the railroad free of charge to any one who will locate and erect a Mill, Foundry, Machine Shop, or any other manufacturing establishment. This is a generous offer. Who will take it up?

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## IN TOWN AND OUT.

Tuesday was a stinging cold day.

Tops of all kinds at Geo. Schorr's.

Winter began in earnest on Monday.

Thanksgiving was quieter than Sunday.

Our people are looking up their Christmas presents.

Best Carbon Oil for 35 cts. at J. Spencer & Son's, Paint Valley, O. 16w3

Hens are going out of business and eggs are advancing.

The water in Kullback is soft in summer, but gets hard in winter.

A good tonic for debilitated young women—iron. A better tonic—ironing.

As bread is the staff of life, so advertising is the staff of business. Try it.

The Estey organ is undoubtedly the best. Call and see them.

For fine candles of all kinds, go to Geo. Schorr's.

Our merchants kept closed doors on Thanksgiving.

Cleanliness and vaccination prevent small-pox.

Protect your cellar well now that it is upon ice.

Omaha editors, formerly called Omaha hogs, are now christened Nebraska.

The boys are brightening up their skates.

For the best tops of every description, go to Schorr's.

Christmas comes on Monday this year and New Year comes on Monday next year.

A Yankee has discovered a method of tanning with leaves. School-boys are often tanned without their leaves.

Burglars have been making several raids lately upon private dwellings in Beaver.

People talk of blood "running" in families; possibly this is why blood is so common in the evening.

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If you want a sweet toned parlor organ, call on T. B. Cunningham at this office.

Thousands of wild geese are in the vicinity of Pickens, S. C. We suppose they are good pickins, of course.

Geo. Schorr has a fine assortment of fresh Figs, Raisins, Candies, Candy Toys, and toys of every kind.

Don't buy any sewing machine until you see and try the American Button-hole Sewing Machine.

You might as well attempt to make a saw log longer as to try to make a man longer than he is.

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## Massillon Bridge Works.

We clip the following from the Indianapolis Daily Sentinel of Nov. 28:

Mr. George Davenport, President of the Massillon Iron Bridge Works, at Massillon, Ohio, accompanied by his son-in-law, Mr. Charles A. Rotch, has been here several days, looking after the interests of the company. This company, which is represented here by Mr. H. B. Wellman, is as our readers are aware, constructing the new iron bridge across the White river, at the end of Washington street, the working under the supervision of Mr. L. S. Hardy. Yesterday, in the presence of the County Commissioners and others, and under direction of Mr. George Davenport, a test was made of the capacity of the sidewalk beams used in this bridge. These beams are constructed of iron, three and a half by half an inch, and made of the principal of Davenport's Straight How Trusses. The test was made in Chandler's yard. Two beams were placed in position such as they will occupy when put in the bridge, that is, extending seven feet clear, beyond the chords of the bridge. Pig iron was then piled upon the unsupported ends of the beams, until the entire weight amounted to 10,200 pounds. Mr. Hardy then mounted upon his weight, and standing upon the outer edge of the beams, for more iron to be placed upon the beams. But the committee was satisfied with this test of their capacity, and agreeably disappointed in a momentary inspection of the How Truss, of this small dimensions, will carry such enormous weight, the capacity of the main structure would seem to be almost without limit.

If you want the best Sugar for 14 cts. per lb., or 7 1/4 for \$1, go to J. Spencer & Son's, Paint Valley, O. 16w3

The Very Best.

The question is often asked why the Howe Sewing Machine is the best. The answer is, simply because it does everything in the sewing line with such perfect satisfaction. Every one who has used a Howe Machine pronounces it the most complete. Its work speaks for itself. No other machine has such unimpaired testimony in its behalf. Everybody praises it, and no family should be without it. If you wish a No. 1 machine, choose in every respect, buy a "Howe" or H. Menez, agent at Millersburg.

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When you step into a store and see the proprietor and all his hands busy waiting on customers, the permanent stand with store boxes containing new goods you may know that a good business is done. Such is the case with Clark & Sons, of Wooster. They take the lead there because, having a representative in the east they always manage to have on hand all the latest styles out of the Dry Goods and Notion line, and sell at such low prices. It certainly is the best place in Wooster to get bargains. 14w2

The American Sewing Machine is all the go.

Small-pox it is said is decreasing at Altoona and Pittsburgh, Pa.

The California Legislature convened on Monday.

Ex-Gov. John Bigler, of California, died on Friday, at Sacramento.

James Patton, accused of the murder of Matthew Sons was acquitted at Georgetown.

The net decrease in the public debt in the month of November was \$3,462,081.

The President has stated that he should not recommend universal amnesty.

The feeling of anxiety in England over the sickness of the Prince of Wales becomes more intense.

San Francisco, Nov. 28.—Last night was the warmest of the season and Tuttle's in the morning skies.

It was impossible to sleep with windows closed.

Gen. C. A. Arthur, the new collector of the Port of New York, as summed the duties of the place Friday.

During the fiscal year ending Nov. 15, \$735,115 of the State debt of Ohio was paid. The total debt is now \$9,905,020 31.

Three of Tweed's bondsmen announced their intention of withdrawing their names. The Boss is in a fair way of following his friend, Mr. Dick Connolly.

The smallpox is raging in Plymouth, England, and the Cholera in its most virulent type in Delhi India.

The money spent in 5000 grog shops in New York, would pay the national debt in less than twenty-four years.

The Brazilian difficulty is still pending. The Gazette declares that nothing but an apology from the authorities of Brazil and indemnification of the injured parties will be satisfactory to the German government.

Berlin, Dec. 1.—The Americans here observed Thanksgiving in an appropriate manner. There was special divine service in the morning, which was well attended, and in the evening a dinner was given at the Hotel de Rome.

The President, in reply to several Congressmen who were urging him to recommend universal amnesty in his message, announced his decision not to do so. He thinks the present method for repentant rebels to obtain the removal of political disabilities ample for the present.

General Dix, in behalf of citizens of New York, presented a picture of Farragut to Alexis. Alexis accepted the present on behalf of his father, saying it would take its place among the choice collections of the Russian government. He trusted peace and good will would never be disturbed between the two countries. Many people were present.

It is rumored that Hall and Tweed have commenced suit in the Supreme Court against the Committee of Seventy.

The News says Tweed allowed a note of \$20,000 to go to protest last Wednesday, and will be sued to recover the amount.

It is said in well informed circles that Tweed will resign as Commissioner of Public Works, and Samuel G. Country will be appointed in his place. It is believed this is a plan to procure the speedy resignation of Hall.

Millersburg Market.

General Produce and Commission Merchants.

Dec. 6, 1871.

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## ALONG THE LINE.

In a previous article when we visited Chicago after the late fire, we gave a few items of observation, etc., along the P. F. W. & C. R. R., and will at this time do very little more. To speak of this great and grand railroad line is not necessary, the road being too well known all over the country as one of the best we have. We can truly say that the road has in its employ a set of gentlemen and accomplished conductors, always ready to give any information desired, and all persons who have traveled much on railroads know the many uncalled for as well as foolish questions asked.

Leaving Wooster a little after 7 A. M., with a prospect of pretty fair weather—that had scarcely dared hope for that, as good old Indian Summer was about leaving us—We glided along in company with several friends, who kept dropping out here and there until all but myself and one were left.

MANFIELD.